

UK pest status report for Hibiscus Green spot virus 2

Field	Detail
Pest species name	<i>Hibiscus Green spot virus 2</i>
Pest taxon (order, family)	<i>Martellivirales, Kitaviridae</i>
Synonyms	HGSV-2
Pest common name	Citrus leprosis
Regulatory status	Great Britain: Not regulated Northern Ireland: Regulated quarantine pest
Pest status in UK (as per ISPM 8¹)	Absent: pest not recorded
Global distribution	<u>America</u> : USA (Hawaii)
Main hosts	<i>Citrus reticulata</i> , <i>Citrus sinensis</i> , <i>Citrus volkameriana</i> , <i>Hibiscus arnottianus</i> , <i>Hibiscus tiliaceus</i> .
Likelihood for establishment in UK	Very unlikely, hosts not widely grown in UK
Website(s)	https://gd.eppo.int/taxon/HGSV20 https://gd.eppo.int/reporting/article-6120 https://pra.eppo.int/pr/6fdb543b-bb34-41af-9fdf-a8a13693e879

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